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The breathing of hot steam for twenty-two years has effects that are bound to be reflected upon one's health, according to Mr. W. H. Farley, who for that length of time has been employed as a laundry foreman. He was previously in Chicago and fourteen years ago came to Nashville and took a position in the McEwen laundry and later with the Model, and then with the Hermitage.

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WITNESSES TELL OF ATTEMPTS TO BRIBE

OFFERED JOBS ON INDIANAPOLIS STREET FORCE IF "TELL ANOTHER STORY."

Registration and Election Inspector Testifies That He Worked Voting Machine Until Fingers Sore.

Indianapolis, March 18.—Two alleged attempts, described by witnesses in the Terre Haute election trial to influence the testimony of witnesses brought a sharp warning today from Judge Anderson.

"Twice today," said the court after the jury had retired, "attempts to bribe or influence witnesses in this case have been described. It is no light thing to attempt to influence or corrupt a witness. I want to warn all."

Wass Groz, who testified last week and was recalled today, said he was offered a job on the streets next summer if he would see three other foreigners who also testified last week and instruct them to tell a "different story on the stand."

Frank Hess went into the case of Roy Shattuck, republican candidate for congressman in the fifth Indiana district last election, who was four vice county republican candidates was indicted on an election conspiracy charge a short time ago. Hess testified that Shattuck and the four others gave him \$1,500 to procure their election and that he sent \$500 of the amount to Mayor Roberts by Assistant Chief of Police Nugent, who has pleaded guilty.

Enno Harms, who was registration and election inspector in his precinct, said he worked the voting machine for more than five hundred persons, using his fingers to pull the keys until he wore a blister, then he used a stick. He also passed out more than 500 cards and brass checks which were redeemed at \$1 each at Clark's saloon, he said.

Butch Jordan indicted. Snyder, March 18.—The grand jury here has returned an indictment against Butch Jordan, charging murder of his father, J. B. Jordan, at Dunn, in February. Trial has been set for March 25.

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MONEY TRANSFERRED: BANKS TO TREASURY

\$56,000,000 NOW ON DEPOSIT CAN BE CALLED IN BY GOVERNMENT.

WILL BE AGAIN DISTRIBUTED

Plan Broached Last Fall But Bankers Objected—\$100,000,000 More Can Be Deposited.

Washington, March 18.—Transfer of some of the government money now on deposit in national banks to the treasury, with a view to re-depositing it later in federal reserve banks, has been begun by direction of Secretary McAdoo.

There is about \$56,000,000 now on deposit with national banks which can be transferred, but so far only a comparatively small amount has been touched. It was explained tonight by treasury officials that the transfers to date have been from banks which had more government money than they could use under present conditions.

When the plan for transfer of funds to reserve banks was broached last fall several members of the federal reserve board were understood to have indicated their objection unless such funds were distributed throughout the system. The understanding is, however, that when the distribution is made, probably several weeks hence, all the banks will be considered.

In addition to the funds now in national banks the treasury can deposit possibly \$100,000,000 more which is now in its vaults or in treasury offices outside Washington. Possibly \$20,000,000 or \$25,000,000 would be kept here.

The federal reserve banks receiving government deposits would act as fiscal agents for the government. Whether they must pay the two per cent interest now charged national banks on government deposits will be determined later by Secretary McAdoo.

Bats Don't Like Phonographs, Either

Houston, March 18.—If people don't want bats, don't be misled. Buy Calumet. That will rout them, says Dr. C. A. R. Campbell of San Antonio, who is here pushing his crusade in the city.

Dr. Campbell contends they are the greatest foe the mosquito has and hence are a great preventive of malaria and other fevers. The school board started a war of extermination upon bats in the buildings and that brought Dr. Campbell to their rescue.

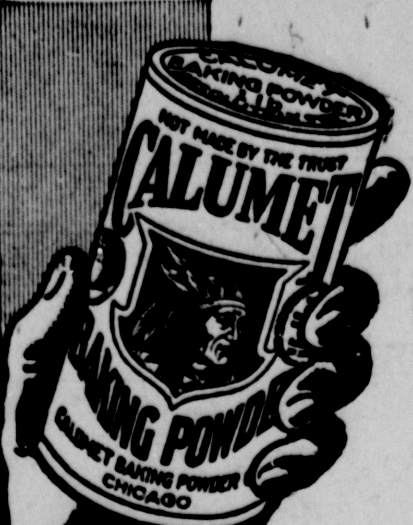
Mrs. Eliza Wallace Buried Near Holland

Temple, Tex., March 18.—Followed to the last resting place by a vast cortege of sorrowing relatives and friends, all that was mortal of Mrs. Eliza E. Wallace, the mother of Mrs. James E. Ferguson, the wife of the governor of Texas, was laid to rest this afternoon in Center Lake cemetery, near the old Wallace family homestead six miles south of the town of Holland.

The deceased had arrived at the ripe age of 74 years when she was stricken with the malady which claimed its earthly toll. Over a week ago an attack of la grippe developed into pneumonia and from the first there was very little hope held out for recovery.

Mrs. Wallace was twice married, her first husband being Wesley G. Ferguson, an uncle of the governor. Two daughters, Mesdames John Dice and Ann Dollard of Bell county survive.

After the demise of her first husband she contracted marriage with Joe L. Wallace, a pioneer of Bell county, who exerted a tremendous and beneficial influence for good upon the community and whose name was a household word until his taking off in 1898. From this second union was born four children, Mesdames Miriam Wallace Ferguson, the governor's wife, and Sue Wallace McElhannan, wife of Dr. P. McElhannan of Belton; also two sons, Warner W. Wallace and Hill R. Wallace, now prosperous Bell county planters. All of the children and Governor Ferguson were present when the final summons came.



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EXPLAINS DEMANDS FOR RATE INCREASE

CONRAD SPENS OF C. B. & Q. ON STAND IN CHICAGO FREIGHT CASE.

Can't Tell Why Livestock Doesn't Yield Its Proportion of Revenue. Cowan, Fort Worth, Objects.

Chicago, March 18.—Questions designed to bring out that the financially well provided railroads in the west, in asking for increased freight rates, were attempting to assist the weaker railroads, were put to Conrad Spens, assistant traffic manager of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy road in the hearing of the western freight case before Interstate Commerce Commissioner William Daniels.

Mr. Spens had testified that livestock, upon which the roads are asking an increase of 2½ cents a hundred pounds, was not paying its share of the cost of transportation. He cited reasons why this commodity was not yielding as much revenue as was considered reasonable on other commodities.

On cross-examination by A. H. Helm, counsel for the Kansas public utilities commission, Mr. Spens said he had no scientific way of determining the exact cost of transporting a carload of livestock.

"The fact that the roads need more money was the only basis upon which you worked in asking for advances," asked Mr. Helm.

"The fact that this commodity was not yielding its proper share of the revenue was the basis," replied the witness. "The presidents of the roads instructed the sales departments to get more money for the goods we were selling."

"If all the commodities you haul were all yielding a proportionate share of revenue then you would have asked for increases on all the commodities?"

"Such an Utopian thing could never exist. That would pre-suppose that every rate was perfect."

"If it were not thought necessary to increase the revenues of such roads as the Chicago and Great Western, the St. Louis and San Francisco and the Missouri Pacific, would a prosperous road like the Burlington ask for increases?"

Mr. Spens said the Burlington undoubtedly would, for although it was in a good financial condition, it had to meet some heavy obligations in the future, such as providing its share of a \$65,000,000 union station for Chicago.

"Then you think the freight rate on hogs and cattle should be increased so as to pay for a \$65,000,000 station in Chicago?"

"Somebody has to pay for it," S. H. Cowan of Fort Worth Texas, on behalf of southwestern cattle shippers, objected to Mr. Spens being cross-examined at this time, as he said the shippers had not been given a sufficient opportunity to analyze the elaborate tables submitted by the railroads.

LAND OWNER TELLS OF TENANT PROBLEMS

J. TOM PAGITT ON STAND AT FEDERAL INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION AT DALLAS.

SAYS PREFERS LARGE FAMILIES

Children Eight Years Old Work Crops. Shortage of Extra Labor Supply is the Cause.

Dallas, March 18.—J. Tom Pagitt, owner of 12,000 acres of Texas land, described some tenant problems on his estate from the land owner's point of view today before the federal commission on industrial relations at its American land question hearing here. The Pagitt place in Coleman county, he said, has 22 tenant families on about 2000 acres, the remainder being leased to cattlemen.

He said his recent preference to get tenants with large families of children because the country is so sparsely settled that the women and children form almost the only available source of extra labor supply in cotton picking season. The women among his tenants, he said, usually chop, hoe and help with picking cotton. Children begin work in the fields at about eight years of age, he said, and would have difficulty hiring farm hands because he could not as a rule pay their wages until after the crop was sold.

Describing housing conditions, Mr. Pagitt said the cheapest tenant house on his place has two rooms and cost \$25, while the largest has four rooms, costing \$400. None are screened, he said.

"Don't tenants want them screened?" asked Chairman Frank P. Walsh of the commission.

"They never have asked for screens," Pagitt replied. "If screens were put in they probably would break them out in 24 hours."

Mr. Pagitt described some acts of violence on his place in 1912 when some of his tenants joined a so-called socialist party, while others, including his manager, joined an anti-socialist party. He said the trouble was due entirely to heat of a political campaign and died out completely after the election.

"Would you object to a tenant who believed in certain principles of government or reform, advocating them while living on your place?" asked Mr. Walsh.

"Doesn't Want Trouble Starters." "No," replied Mr. Pagitt, "but I would not like a tenant who stirred up trouble by talking at the store and trying to make other men dislike his landlord."

Mr. Pagitt said also he would object to a tenant taking time when he ought to be making a crop to spend in advocating reforms.

"What hours should a tenant spend at work?" asked Commissioner Walsh.

"Well," replied Mr. Pagitt, "in crop season some of them go to work at 4 o'clock in the morning, some at 6 and they generally work until dark."

Mr. Pagitt said he had never tried to stop any reform discussion about his place, except to have his manager suggest to "Shakespeare Smith," who in 1912 had been writing articles favoring Mr. Pagitt's stand on labor troubles of that year, to stop because such discussion did no good. "Shakespeare," he said, farmed a place bought from the Pagitt estate.

Two witnesses today testified that they believed landlords are not responsible for hardships in the present land tenant system. These witnesses were E. J. Giddings, an attorney of Oklahoma City, and Prof. Charles B. Austin of the University of Texas. Mr. Giddings discussed usury, saying that in Oklahoma farmers owe banks and other money lenders \$60,000,000, and that about \$40,000,000 of this is loaned at usurious rates. An estimated that usurious rates ranged from 20 to 200 per cent. He suggested federal action as an effective remedy to reduce usury. Describing conditions in the former Indian Territory, he said that Oklahoma farmers are extremely hard on tenant farmers, he said.

"This is not due primarily to tyranny by landlords nor lack of thrift in tenants, but to the inane, insipid and senseless policy of the federal government in handling Indian lands."

He suggested that the commission recommend that the government sell these Indian lands, investing and guarding for any the sales.

Prof. Austin Defends Landlords. Professor Charles B. Austin of the department of extension of the University of Texas, testified that tenants have little to do with treatment from landlords, compared with the responsibility of the local physician, the minister, the undertaker and the storekeeper. The business good the storekeeper of their lives already told by tenants before the commission, Prof. Austin did not think they acquired

the money dishonestly, but that these professional and business classes ought to stir themselves to rid the rural communities of the system which caused tenant poverty. This system, he said, comprised the one-crop custom, store credit and chattel mortgages.

He gave figures showing that foreign immigrants settling in the south-west alongside native whites tend to become home owners in one generation, outdoing the Americans. The causes for the foreigners' greater success he believed were intensive farming, diversification, refusal to go into debt, keenness in getting their money's worth in purchases, and wisdom in not attempting to acquire too much land at one time.

Pat Nagle of Kingfisher, Okla., editor of the Tenant Farmer, said:

Pat Nagle's Testimony. "In eastern Oklahoma, formerly Indian Territory, about two-thirds of the farmers are renters. In western Oklahoma, formerly Oklahoma Territory, one-third are renters and two-thirds own their land. Total renters in Oklahoma are 104,000. Of 95,000 farmers owning their own land, 80 per cent are mortgaged."

Mr. Nagle described what he said were typical conditions over the state, as shown in one Oklahoma county of 3,000 farmers, one-third of whom were renters. Of the 2000 owning farmers, 80 per cent were mortgaged. He did not give the county's name, but said:

"In this county is a county seat and two electric light towns. In these electric light towns are grouped approximately 100 parasites of the first degree. These parasites are interlocked. If the bank that exploited the farmer through usury should decay the graft goes. The grain man would charge usury, withdraw his deposits from the bank and report the matter to the State Grain Dealers' association, and this committee would take the matter up with the bank's correspondents in Kansas City, Chicago and New York, and the bank would be refused accommodations."

Mr. Nagle said that mills, elevators and other business interests in small towns such as he described all helped more or less to exploit farmers. He added:

"The parasites of the first degree are the newspapers in their little kingdoms. They control the press. The newspapers in electric light towns are careful not to publish anything that might enlighten the farmer as to the inner workings of these interlocked groups. They control the church. They distribute themselves among various churches of the community and if the minister should denounce their meanness and influence withhold their support and influence and he soon would be relieved of his charge."

To this system of alleged control by commercial interests of small towns Mr. Nagle charged was due the fact that 80 per cent of the farmers of the county were mortgaged. Most of the other farmers, he said, escaped mortgages by making extra money through side line activities in addition to farming.

Mr. Nagle said that under practices of the jury choosing system in Oklahoma, 100,000 tenant farmers are excluded from opportunity for jury service, especially on cases of greatest interest to themselves. He explained that Oklahoma jury venues are drawn from the tax rolls; that there are two sets of tax roll books; that one of these books, comprising taxes on real estate, contains practically no tenant farmers, and that in many instances venues are drawn entirely from this particular book.

He said in many counties justice of the peace courts in Oklahoma are situated in towns covering districts located so that the town creditors of farm tenants have undue influence with the court officials, while the tenants have practically none.

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The jurors who considered the case and who were selected for their neutral opinions on the European war, deliberated for six hours before they reached a verdict. They added to it "a strong recommendation for mercy."

The pair will be sentenced tomorrow and immediately afterward Stegler, who became a state's witness, and testified against the two men, will be called for trial. His counsel announced today that Stegler would plead guilty and throw himself upon the mercy of the court.

It is expected that in asking a light sentence for Stegler his counsel will refer to international aspects of the case not brought out in the trial, but given publicity at the time Stegler was arrested.

The penalty for the offense is a maximum of two years in prison, \$10,000 fine, or both.

Robbery Near Police Station. El Paso, March 18.—Burglars last night rented a room above a store within half a block of the police station here, cut a hole through the floor of the room, let themselves down with ropes into the store and stole about \$3000 worth of goods. The loot was thrown out of a window into a wagon and carted off.

The police today made several arrests and recovered a portion of the goods.

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JOHN C. LATTIMORE.

Waco sustains a serious loss in the tragic death of Prof. John C. Lattimore, for sixteen years superintendent of the city public schools. And while his loss falls more heavily upon the school work of the city than anywhere else, he was a useful, all-around good citizen who contributed much toward making this a better community in which to live, and thousands of our citizens will join his family in mourning his untimely end.

A more diligent public servant this community has never known. All the day and far into the night he labored continuously for the advancement of the schools in which his heart was so enveloped and the hundreds of boys and girls who have grown to manhood and womanhood and useful citizenship under his administration of the public schools constitute a greater monument to his untiring labors than the many new buildings and other material improvements which he had a part in bringing about. He gave himself unreservedly to the task that was before him, and if fault were to be found with him it would be that he worked too hard for his own good and was so obliging in his disposition that he allowed others to impose upon him, so much did he hate to refuse a request for assistance or information.

But more pronounced than his ability as a school man, or even his unselfish devotion to his work, was Mr. Lattimore's personal life. He lived cleanly not only in public, but in private as well. He did not speak evil of his fellows and we doubt if he rarely thought evil of them. So much did he treasure the friendship of everybody that he would sometimes surrender some of his own rights rather than give offense to another. Loyal to his work, his family, his church and his community, he was a good citizen from every consideration and we shall be the poorer now that he has gone. Another will take up his work and carry it on, for it was left upon a solid foundation, but there are many who will miss the genial smile and glad handshake of Professor Lattimore for many a day.

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.

With the merits or demerits of the inner workings of the Associated Press the general public is not vitally concerned. The public has come to look to this great news gathering agency to furnish the largest and most accurate news service in the world, and so long as this is done the reading public is not bothered about the details of the operation.

Nevertheless, in view of the frequent misrepresentations of the Associated Press by its rivals, we are glad Attorney General Gregory has given the organization a clean bill of health in response to a request for an opinion by the publishers of the New York Sun, who conduct a news bureau for their own benefit. The nation's legal adviser says there is no basis for a suit against the Associated Press on the ground of it being a trust, and of course neither the Sun Publishing company nor anyone else believed it was, the object in the allegation being to try and place on this organization and their rival the opprobrium that has come to be attached to trusts within the last few years.

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Texans of talent continue to command recognition everywhere. Dr. E. G. Eberle of Dallas has been elected editor of the American Pharmaceutical Journal of Columbus, Ohio.

PERSONAL EQUATION IN TENANTRY.

Wednesday's testimony before the federal commission on industrial relations, which is conducting a special investigation at Dallas into tenantry and its causes, reveals the fact that rural credits, diversification and marketing associations will not entirely solve the problem of the poor land renter in Texas.

A man presented to the commission as typical of the tenant farmer class of this state, testified that one year he had raised 52 bales of cotton which he sold at an average of from 12 to 15 cents a pound, but that he made no profit from the fact that he had to pay bills which he had made with local merchants to the amount of \$1700. He kept no check of any kind on what he bought and did not know what he owed until he went to settle his accounts at the close of the year.

For his second year on the same farm he made practically as much cotton, though the price was not so good, and his store account this year amounted to only \$1250, while the third year the store account was cut to \$750. At no time did he keep an account of how far he was going into debt and the indications are that he was not concerned about this particularly, trusting to good luck rather than business management to bring him through out of debt at the end of the year, only to start in again at the beginning of the new one.

We are not surprised that he has never owned a farm. A store account of \$1700 a year would bankrupt any average man, no matter what his line of work, and the fact that he spent no more than \$75 a year for clothes for his family leads us to wonder where all of the money went. There must have been some extravagant eating and evidently nothing was raised at home in the way of meat, vegetables, fruit, butter, chickens and the like. What this man and others like him need is not a system of rural credits, but instruction in business methods that will convince them of the necessity of economy, the need of spending less than they earn, and of the great desirability of raising feed and foodstuffs at home instead of buying them "at the store."

Tenants of this class need to know that it is not wise to burden their wives that they do not get to buy a neat dress in twenty-five years, never have an opportunity to read a newspaper and have an opportunity to get a new hat only once in eight years. Clothes do not make a man or woman, but decent, presentable clothes have a great influence in making men and women, as well as boys and girls, feel respectable, and the tenant who spends \$1700 a year at the store and puts only \$75 into clothes has very poor knowledge of proportions and values of things.

The witness has reared a large family, or is in the process of so doing, but he has given up hope. Failing to save anything when he was making cotton that sold from 12 to 15 cents a pound, and spending \$1700 annually on his store account, he gave up hope and is now without a farm to cultivate even on the shares.

We doubt if the federal commission on industrial relations will be able to do much for this tenant or any of his class. But there is some hope for the boys and girls of the family if they can be gotten hold of and put in school. Last year over 7000 Texas boys were engaged in the contests of the Boys' Corn clubs and they raised an average of 39 bushels of corn to the acre, when the average production of corn in the state by the adults is only 19 bushels. The average cost of the production was 35 cents per bushel. The champion boy corn grower was John Hubert Ross of Rusk county, who grew 164 bushels of corn to the acre at a cost of nine cents per bushel. Boys have learned to apply science in the cultivation of the soil and the men are going to catch on after a while, just as these boys will be men in a few years and will apply these scientific methods on a larger scale. And the girls, through their Canning Club work, are also learning scientific methods of gardening, cooking, preserving and housekeeping and they will know how to conduct the household affairs more economically and more efficiently than their mothers did.

So education of the proper kind will become as large a factor in the solution of the tenant problem as rural credits and larger, for it will aid many cases which rural credits cannot touch. As we were suggesting a few days ago, the compulsory school attendance law in its contribution to the education of the country boys and girls, will aid largely in the solution of many of the rural problems by which we are confronted today. Education of the proper kind is a powerful factor in the promotion of economic efficiency, and that is what is needed now to lift the farmer out of the hole. But cheaper money on longer terms will come in very handy, even where a man has an education.

Jack Johnson says the shades of his father warned him not to go to Juarez to fight Jess Willard. We have an idea that it was not the shades nor the shadow, but the personal presence of a United States marshal who might give him an invitation to visit Chicago as the guest of the government that threatened the big black if he got too close to the American border.

Yesterday was an ideal spring day, Dr. Block. A few more like it and we will take up a collection and provide you with a new spring lid and Tipperary tie.

H. Hagedorn, re-elected secretary of the Y. M. B. L., does not make very much noise, but he is on the job all the time and contributes a great deal to the success of the organization he serves.

Senator Stone says a great opportunity will confront the United States when the war is over. We have heard that before. Will the solon from the "Show Me" state please inform us when that time will be?

VITAL FORCE OF BUSINESS.

When the human body is run down what does the physician recommend? inquires the Financial World. A tonic and plenty of exercise. To brace up the system the tonic is suggested; after that exercise is depended upon to keep the machinery running smoothly.

Business thrives in good times, and to make money in periods of prosperity requires the employment of no extraordinary genius. But real genius will make a business earn one dollar and a half or more of profit than the dollar earned by a competitor.

Such an accomplishment calls for the adaptation of intelligent advertising to business. What is advertising but publicity, the telling to the greatest number of people whose attention it is possible to reach, what one has to sell to them and why they should buy.

Every notable mercantile success has been largely created by advertising. It is the vital force of business and the business man who still refuses to recognize this economic truth is running along at the pace of a bicycle compared with the speed of an automobile.

There is no time when advertising is needed more to stimulate business than when everyone thinks trade is dull. It is then that it should be used as a tonic. The president of a St. Louis roofing concern did not stop to ask how much the depression might affect his business, but he infused life into it by advertising, with the result that his plants were taxed to capacity in filling orders. No workmen were compelled to look elsewhere for jobs.

Another firm believer in the vitalizing influence of advertising is the capable president of the American Radiator company, and he is frank enough to pay to it the tribute that it was largely responsible for the great success his company has attained in its field and responsible for the good dividends the company is able to disburse among shareholders.

Other examples of the force of advertising in developing trade of phenomenal proportions are to be found in the policy of the leading tobacco companies. Talking to the public day after day they have succeeded in working up a universal demand for their goods, and this even in a dull year, enables them to pay extra dividends.

But the average investment banker, far from realizing the value of advertising, is still away behind the times. He is hibernating in the old shell of conservatism. If he succeeds in placing a bond issue through the publicity it receives as news items, aided by a few hundreds of dollars spent in one or two newspapers, he is content. Were he to consider that his reputation would be considerably strengthened among the investing public if he broadened his advertising vision, he would find, when the market is dull that reputation would stand him in good stead and uncover for him a market for his securities. Investors are also human beings and follow success.

Advertising does not build for today, but for tomorrow and the many tomorrows that follow.

Suit has been instituted at Pasadena, Cal., against the owners of an alleged educated chimpanzee, praying for \$71,000 on the allegation that the animal entered the home of the plaintiffs and threw their son against a bed, injuring him for life. We do not believe a word of it. If the chimpanzee had been educated he would have been flirting with the women folks.

Since the Denison Herald has made the announcement that the Corpus Christi Caller has promised to provide a mermaid for each delegate to the State Press Association which is to convene at Corpus Christi in June, we have an idea that each married editor's wife who hears about it will insist on going to Corpus.

With a solid special train from Texas to the Ad Club convention at Chicago and another to the international convention of Rotary Clubs at San Francisco, the opportunity of putting this state before a considerable number of the people of this nation in a favorable light is an excellent one.

It will cost \$450,000 to rehabilitate the state capitol building at Austin, according to the experts. If we could find some more capitalists who would be willing to do the job for some more of the unsalable land which the state has on hand, we would be ready to say "Proceed."

"Imagination is vital to every man's life," reads a headline in a contemporary. We presume that is true, for that is about all that some of our friends have had to live on recently.

From the bunch that Ellis Hardy has rounded into the Navigator camp, it looks like the big manager believes that "Safety First" lies in efficiency.

"Freezing Weather in Central Florida," read the dispatches yesterday. Possibly this will boost the demand for the Texas Satsuma oranges.

Our civilization appears to be almost impotent sometimes when we view our inability to check the operations of the man with the gun.

There will be no racing at the Texas State Fair at Dallas this year, according to the announcement of the directors.

Grayson county remains in the progressive column, having banished pool halls by a vote of 562 to 128.

Cheer up, Mr. Man, the Texas legislature will take a five-weeks' vacation, beginning Sunday.

KILLER OF J. C. WHITE WILL BE TRIED BY FEDERAL AUTHORITIES

City Marshal Tom Parker of Cameron, who was accused of killing his brother-in-law, Joseph R. White, on the postoffice steps Wednesday evening, will be tried in the federal court. A complaint, charging him with murder, was filed yesterday with A. P. McCormick, United States commissioner, by J. W. Bass, postoffice inspector. J. A. Rogers, United States marshal, formerly arrested Parker, who is being held in the McLennan county jail.

The penalty for conviction on a charge of first degree murder is death, according to the federal statutes. A date for the examining trial has not been set. Parker said last night that he would make an attempt to secure his release on bail when it was held. He conferred yesterday with Attorney Lud Williams, and said Mr. Williams would probably defend him, together with a lawyer from Cameron. Parker seemed to be worried more yesterday that he was Wednesday when he was held in the jail.

R. L. White of Lubbock, brother of J. R. White, came in yesterday afternoon to make arrangements for the funeral. Arrangements will probably be completed today.

AN UNUSUAL OPPORTUNITY

You should avail yourself of this opportunity to provide for yourself and family by selecting a lot now in Park Lawn, making a small cash payment, the balance on easy terms. This opportunity is available to you no matter how old you are, and you will after your attention has been called to the matter. You owe this to your family, even more than you owe them insurance protection, and your civic pride should respond to a perpetually cared-for cemetery.

For any information you wish in regard to the proposition phone the undersigned at No. 886 either home or No. 953 old phone, and at any time you wish, I will be glad to call and take you out to visit the grounds.

Yours very respectfully,
J. H. HARVEY.

Baptist City Board of Missions Formed to Help Local Work

For the purpose of taking over the missionary work among the Mexicans of the city and fostering other local missionary enterprises of the denomination, the Baptist City Board of Missions, composed of delegates from practically every church of that denomination in the city, was formally organized at the First Baptist church last night. Rev. H. H. Street, President, Sparkle Durham, First church, vice president; R. H. Berry, Columbus street, secretary, and W. V. Browning, Clay street, treasurer.

Meetings will be held regularly on the last Thursday night in each month, though as the Flying Squadron, an organization of special talent in behalf of national prohibition, will be in the city next Thursday night, the first meeting will be held two weeks from last night.

Entering into the organization as representatives of the various churches last night were the following delegates: First church, Rev. J. M. Dawson, E. N. Nash, Jr., Sparkle Durham, D. S. Dodson, President Heights, Rev. H. H. Street, W. Wehrung, W. B. Pearson, Crater Dalton, Clay street, Rev. O. E. Bryan, J. A. Rogers, W. V. Browning, R. A. Markham, Columbus street, Rev. F. S. Groner, D. P. Walker, Charles Evans, R. H. Berry, Seventh and James, Rev. W. W. Melton, J. W. Daniel, Turner street, Rev. P. M. Meroney, E. L. Duke, J. V. Newton, Third street, C. H. Walton.

Due to the fact that a revival meeting is on at the Brook avenue church, no delegates were in attendance from there.

When human brains become more enlightened then there might possibly be a feed made to equal Golden-Rod. For sale by all dealers. Cornforth Grain Co., distributors.—(Adv.)

Notice.
All parties having accounts against W. A. Carpenter will please mail me statement of same.

MRS. W. B. CARPENTER,
Adv.,
Mart, Texas.

Holding Deerenkamp's Body.

The body of John Deerenkamp, who died in a local sanitarium Tuesday night, will be held by Undertaker L. C. Puckett until the brother and sister reach here from Fort Madison, Ia.

A telegram was received from the brother in Fort Madison yesterday.

A NEW TELEPHONE DIRECTORY

For the Texas Telephone Company, Waco Exchange.

Will go to press April 1st, 1915. Place your application now for a new telephone and be listed in the April Directory. Please notify the manager in writing before the above date, if there is any change or additional listing desired. Adv.

COCOANUT OIL MAKES A SPLENDID SHAMPOO

If you want to keep your hair in good condition, the less soap you use the better.

Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali. This irritates the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and is very harmful. Just plain mislified coconut oil (which is pure and entirely greaseless), is much better than soap anything else you can use for shampooing, as this can possibly irritate the hair.

Simply moisten your hair with water and rub it in. One or two teaspoonfuls will make an abundance of rich, creamy lather, and cleanses the hair and scalp thoroughly. The lather rinses out easily, and removes every particle of dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves it fine and silky, bright, fluffy and easy to manage.

You can get mislified coconut oil at most any drug store. It is very cheap, and a few ounces is enough to last every one in the family for months.

NO ALUM in Dr. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER

Texas Police Chiefs to Hold Fort Worth Meeting on June 15

June 15 was selected as the time for holding at Fort Worth the next meeting of the City Marshals and Chiefs of Police Association of Texas, at the meeting of the executive committee held yesterday in the commission chamber at the city hall. Members of the executive committee in attendance were Chief Will S. Knight of Corsicana, president of the association and chairman of the executive committee; Chief P. H. Lancaster of San Antonio; Chief J. J. Walker of Kearsy; Chief S. M. Allen of Coolidge; Chief J. H. Bond of Rockdale. Chief C. W. Newby of Fort Worth, who died a short time ago, the committee elected G. A. Smith, chief of the Smith Detective agency of Dallas, to be secretary-treasurer. Mr. Newby, the last meeting was elected to the office for life. Chief J. W. Ryan of Dallas, and Mr. Smith were present at the meeting yesterday in the capacity of transportation committee members. The executive committee with regard to trips planned to be made by the chiefs and marshals in their next convention.

Arrangements for entertaining the convention at Fort Worth were gone over by the committee. It was decided that the association would hold a business session of one day in Fort Worth. After which the entire party, including the families of the members, will board a special train for an excursion to Galveston. The special will be thoroughly equipped for the comfort of the members and their families. It is planned to have a buffet and smoking car for the men, with suitable accommodations especially for the women of the party.

A committee was appointed to revise the constitution and by-laws of the association so as to include death benefits to members and to admit railroad and special officers to membership.

Yesterday at noon the members of the executive committee were guests of Chief of Police Guy McNamara of Waco at a luncheon at the Riggins. Other than the police chiefs, there were present Police Commissioner John Collins and Russell H. Kingsbury. By resolution the meeting yesterday thanked Chief McNamara for his hospitality and courtesies extended to them while here.

TEXAS DEATHS.

Dr. E. B. Bidwell.
Gatesville, March 18.—Dr. E. B. Bidwell, aged nearly 83 years, died at his home at a luncheon at the Riggins yesterday evening. He had resided in this county more than forty years. He had been confined to his home more than ten years.

Stephen Crist Dies.
Stephen Crist, age 51, died yesterday morning at his residence, 1015 Austin avenue. An interment will be made at Mt. Calm, to which place the body was shipped last night by L. C. Puckett. Mr. Crist is survived by his widow and one daughter. He had been living in Waco for about one year.

Col. J. V. Cockrell.
Abilene, Tex., March 18.—Col. J. V. Cockrell, 80, a veteran of the Confederate states army, died here today. Colonel Cockrell was a brother of former United States Senator Francis M. Cockrell of Missouri. He had been a member of the Texas legislature and also served as a member of congress for two terms from the Texas Jumbo district of half a hundred or more counties.

Dr. R. S. Farr.
Belton, March 18.—An honored pioneer citizen of Texas and brave Confederate soldier breathed his last here yesterday when Dr. R. S. Farr responded to the last summons and fell call on earth. Deceased was 76 years of age and had resided in Belton for thirty-six years.

The deceased had served with Mosby in the army of Northern Virginia, the latter being his native state. Four children survive, namely, Mrs. M. V. Smith and Miss Kate and Bessie Farr, daughters, and son, Rezin. Funeral services were conducted here today.

Valentine Wesley Kestler Dies.
Valentine Wesley Kestler died yesterday morning at the home of his son, J. W. Kestler, 715 South Fifth street. The body was shipped last night to Bryan by Undertaker F. S. Compton, where interment will be made this morning in the family cemetery. Mr. Kestler had been ill for about six weeks.

John W. Kestler, son of the deceased, was on jury service this week in the Nineteenth district court. Judge Tom L. McCullough excused the jury this morning on account of the death of Mr. Kestler, who was born in Concord, N. C., September 14, 1842. He served through the four years of the civil war in a North Carolina regiment. He was color bearer for his regiment and took part in the Gettysburg campaign. He came to Texas twenty-three years ago, locating first near Bryan. Nine years ago he came to Waco to live with his son. He was a member of the furniture firm of Fink & Kestler.

He was married March 16, 1865, to Miss Jennie R. Porter. She died in 1868. Mr. Kestler was married a second time to Mrs. L. J. Dansby of Bryan, Texas, in 1893.

The following children survive: By the first marriage, John W., of Waco; George W., of Waco; N. C. (Charles B. of Seneca, S. C.; Walter S., of Seneca, S. C.; Mrs. William Overcash of Concord, N. C.; Mrs. Lilly Patton and Mrs. Nathan Wall of Diverson, Ill.; by the second marriage, Robert Kestler and Miss Vallie Kestler of Waco.

PERSONAL MENTION.

W. R. Huntington of New York City, general agent for Wells-Fargo Express company, spent yesterday here with R. E. L. Montgomery, local agent.

Superintendent A. W. Eddins of the State Juvenile Training school at Gatesville, was in the city last night. Rev. H. D. Knickerbocker of Temple, was visiting friends in Waco yesterday.

First Baptist Choir of Temple Will Give Concert Here Sunday

As a compliment to Rev. J. M. Dawson, pastor of the First Baptist church of this city, but recent pastor of the First Baptist church of Temple, the choir and orchestra of 35 pieces of the latter congregation will come to Waco Sunday afternoon and put on a special sacred musical recital at the First Baptist church in this city Sunday night at 8 o'clock. Mr. Dawson was very fond of these organizations, as they were of him, and he has been instrumental in the organization of similar bodies in the church here since he assumed the local pastorate.

The program for Sunday night has been announced as follows:
Orchestra Prelude—"Sweet Dreams of Home"—Meditation..... H. J. Engemann
Awakening..... Chas. H. Gabriel
Invocation..... Rev. J. M. Dawson
Hymn, "We're Marching to Zion".....
..... Congregation and Choir
Anthem, "Bless the Lord"..... Cranmer
Messrs. C. C. Grubbs, C. W. McKeehan and Miss Bertha Fouts singing the solos.
"Holy City"..... St. Adams
Cornet Solo with Orchestra Accompaniment.
Offertory Soprano Solo, "If I Were a Voice" (with violin obligato)..... Miss Vestie Cooper and Senior
..... J. Torres.

Announcements.
Address..... Rev. J. M. Dawson
The Resurrection and the Life.....
..... Ira Bishop Wilson
Invitation Hymn, "Sweetest are the Years Go By".....
..... Choir and Congregation
Orchestra Postlude, "Melody of Love"..... Engemann
An invitation to attend this special service is extended to the public.

AT THE TEMPLE.

924 Washington Street.
There is one subject which needs to be properly brought to the attention of the people to meet with immediate response. This subject will be the theme of the sermon tonight. The choir, singing better and better at each succeeding service, will render the Responses, and Mr. James will sing the solo, "David's prayer." Services begin at 8 o'clock.

The attendance at the Saturday morning services last week was very gratifying and let's hope it will be even more so this Saturday. The religious school is still keeping up the record of good attendance and enthusiastic interest. On the coming Sunday plans will be made for the Passover celebration.

Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Groves'.
The Old Standard Groves' Tasteless chills Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. Drives out Malaria, enriches Blood, Builds up the Whole System, Secures Golden-Rod to your feed dealer and he will tell you it is the best. For sale by all dealers. Cornforth Grain Co., distributors.—(Adv.)

Poor Prisoner Discharged.
Lon Griffey of Somerville county was discharged yesterday by A. P. McCormick, United States commissioner, as a poor prisoner. Griffey was convicted of being an illicit liquor dealer last November, fined \$100 and given two months and twenty-five days in jail. He served his sentence, and thirty days additional. The federal statutes provide that a prisoner can be released, when it is shown that he is unable, through poverty, to pay his fine.

IN SUCH PAIN WOMAN CRIED
Suffered Everything Until Restored to Health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Florence, So. Dakota.—"I used to be very sick every week with bearing down pains and backache, and had headache a good deal of the time and very little appetite. The pains were so bad that I used to sit right down on the floor and cry, because it hurt me so and I could not do any work at those times. An old woman advised me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I got a bottle. I felt better the next month so I took three more bottles of it and got well so I could work all the time. I hope every woman who suffers like I did will try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. P. W. LANSING, Box 8, Ailyn, Wash.

Why will women continue to suffer day in and day out or drag out a sickly, half-hearted existence, missing three-fourths of the joy of living, when they can find health in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound?

For thirty years it has been the standard remedy for female ills, and has restored the health of thousands of women who have been troubled with such ailments as displacements, inflammation, ulceration, tumors, irregularities, etc.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

Illustration of a woman's face.



Ladies' 'Walk-Overs'

\$3.50 to \$6

Each week we are getting the latest and most up-to-the-minute in Footwear. As usual, our windows now display Footwear's latest fashions. Plain, delicately ornamented and Colonial Tie Pumps form the bulk of our calls.

This cut shows our No. 3384 \$3.50 Ladies' Colonial Tie in dull or patent leathers. Demand a shoe with a name and reputation for merit.

Let Your Next Pair Be "Walk-Overs"

WALK-OVER BOOT SHOP 617 AUSTIN

CLEVELAND CLUB TO PLAY NAVS MONDAY

THREE GOOD GAMES PROMISED
WACO FANS—NEW YORK SAT-
URDAY AND SUNDAY.

Joe Birmingham Coming With Twenty-Nine Players, Coaches Trainers and Newspaper Men.

Preparations are being made by the Navigators for three good games commencing with the New York Giants on Saturday, the same club on Sunday and ending up the season with the Cleveland Indians on Monday afternoon, at Katy park.

Hardy is grooming his pitchers for the three battles and Waco fans will see some good baseball. The Cleveland club will arrive Sunday night at 11:35 and will put up at the Riggins. Joe Birmingham himself will head the aggregation and with them will be Frank Rostock of the Cleveland Press and Joe Williams of the Cleveland News. The following players will be along:

Birmingham, manager; O'Neill, Egan, DeVost, Billings, catchers; Willie Mitchell, Steen, Downman, Morton, Cumble, Walker, Harstad, Jones, Hagerman, pitchers; Shields, Wood, Rodgers, Chapman, Wamsbans, Turner, Barbur, Thomas, infielders; Joe Jackson, Grane, Leibold, Smith, outfielders; Hammond, utility infielder; Fehl, coach; Mitte, trainer.

The probable batting order for Monday's game will be as follows: Leibold, right field; Turner, third base; Rodgers, second base; Chapman, shortstop; Jackson, left field; Wood, first base; Smith, center field; O'Neill and Egan, catchers.

ST. LOUIS BEATS OILERS.

Beaumont, March 18.—In a slugfest here this afternoon the St. Louis Browns regulars defeated the Beaumont Oilers by a score of 13 to 6. Clarence Walker got two home runs and a triple out of five times at bat. Howard got three hits out of four times up.

Score—R. H. E.
Browns.....102 660 103—12 16 3
Beaumont.....200 620 100—6 3 2
Laudenmill and Severoid, Agnew; Taff and Carson.

DETROIT BEATS PELICANS.

Gulfport, Miss., March 18.—The Detroit Americans defeated the New Orleans club of the Southern Association by a score of 5 to 4 here today.

Score—R. H. E.
Detroit.....5 7 2
New Orleans.....4 11 2
Eoshler, Smithson and Peters; Hovlik, Smith and Deberry.

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Is there any reason why you should spend 10c for a cigar, when you can buy a JOHN RUSKIN for 5 cents?

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ARCHIE TANNER MAY COME BACK TO WACO

DEAL ON BETWEEN NAVIGATOR MANAGEMENT AND JOE BIRMINGHAM FOR SHORTSTOP.

INFILDER BEESON GETS 'SLIP

Clever Pittsburg Boy Not Needed and Given His Release—Club Will Be of Veterans.

From present prospects it looks as if Archie DeWitt Tanner, shortstop last year for the Navigators, will be back with the club again this year. No official announcement has been given out either by the Waco management or Manager Birmingham of the Cleveland club, to whom the peppery Texan now belongs, but it is known that dickering has been going on for some time, and the deal is almost certain.

With the old crew drifting back, it looks as if the Naves will be a veteran club this year. Bob Clemens, of course, will more than likely stay put in the majors, but with Donalds and Tanner added to the regulars that are already here, Houston will have but little to do in the way of fielding. To take the place of Clemens, Hickey seems to be making good. The heavy little left fielder is hitting the ball right along and performing nicely in the field. There is no hole to fill in the garden.

Beeson, a Pittsburg boy, who looks to be a promising infielder, went down before the inevitable pitfall yesterday. Beeson really is not needed with Malmquist and Grubb present. Conwell looks good and the likelihood of Tanner coming back. More than likely the next exits will be from the hurling squad. Hardy has a whole army of flingers, and not a but that is close enough to stay in this league. But the moguls have put their foot down on clubs carrying enough men to allow even for a hospital list and the pitching staff will have to be reduced.

Waco fans will welcome Tanner back to home, if the deal goes through. While he hasn't a lamblike disposition, Archie has a habit with him on short and at bat that wins affection from the fans. Now that he has eaten a sandwich at Birmingham's Indian camp he may be a little more tractable. Anyway, he is really a hard-worker and a crackjack youngster in every way until he gets sore. He then exhibits signs of being descended from a buzz saw.

Rube Marquard Is With Waco Squad

Rube Marquard, he of the nineteen straight victories, is in the city, coming up from Marlin yesterday to meet his wife, who on the stage is Miss Blossom Sealy.

Sealy arrived from the North yesterday afternoon. The husky left-hander visited the Navigator training camp and arranged for a berth—not permanently, of course, but for today's practice. He will stay at Marlin until the Giants come up for tomorrow's contest with the Naves. He will work out today and learn a few points in the national pastime from Ellis Hardy's fingers.

Marquard has been taking things rather easy down at Marlin, working only enough to bring him gradually into condition. He draws a bank president's salary and works banking hours, managing to drag himself onto the grounds twice daily.

However, he leans his head on one shoulder every once in a while and buzzes one over, indicating that he still has smoke in the smoke for which he became noted about the time of the aforesaid nineteen straight—which was so long ago that some of the younger generation are beginning to doubt a few of 'em.

BRYANT WINS TEMPLE SHOOT.

Temple, March 18.—In a St. Patrick's Day shoot by the Temple Gun club for the Fred Gilbert trophy, a handsome sterling silver cup, Tull Bryant was declared the victor, having scored 96 out of a total of 100 birds. The scores made by the various contestants were as follows:

Tull Bryant.....96
J. W. Nichols.....94
B. H. Calhoun.....94
F. M. Graziop.....94
J. W. Jones.....92
B. Booth.....89
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R. I. Tennant.....88
W. E. Bassett.....84
Jim Wilson.....82
George T. Koch.....76
W. A. Brady.....76
R. O. Gresham.....59

ROY MITCHELL TO COAST.

Belton, March 13.—Roy Mitchell of this city, for a number of years star of the American League, departed today for Venice, Cal., where he will play in the Coast league this season. Mitchell was agreeable to the change and preferred the Coast at the present time to remaining in the big league.

LOCAL COURTS.

NINETEENTH DISTRICT COURT.

Tom L. McCullough, Judge.
R. V. McClain, Clerk.
J. A. Wilson vs. Southern Traction Co., damages; jury released until Monday morning.

FIFTY-FOURTH DISTRICT COURT.

Richard L. Munroe, Judge.
R. V. McClain, Clerk.
Walter Downs vs. St. Louis & Southwestern Railway company, damages; jury returned sealed verdict, which will be opened this morning.

SEVENTY-FOURTH DISTRICT COURT.

Erwin J. Clark, Judge.
R. V. McClain, Clerk.
G. Pillot vs. St. Louis & Southwestern Railway company, damages; jury failed to agree and was discharged.

COUNTY COURT.

George N. Denton, Judge.
J. W. Baker, Clerk.
State vs. A. J. Sulak, aggravated assault and battery; plea of guilty; fined \$5.
State vs. J. T. Young, swindling; dismissed.

SUITS FILED.

Nineteenth District Court.
H. K. Brown vs. John McDowell et al; suit for specific performance.

Seventy-fourth District Court.
Jesse Weeks vs. Cleveland Construction company, damages (\$10,000).
S. & M. Archenthal vs. W. A. Stovall et al, debt and foreclosure.

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"The Slums of New York."

A revival of good, wholesome melodrama, which traces with unerring finger the weakness and follies and hypocrisy in high places, which exalts the good and denigrates the bad—such is the four-act melodrama, "The Slums of New York," now being played at the Majestic by the Adelaide Irving company.

Miss Irving is cast in a particularly telling part, the development of which gives her a chance to display all her powers. She is June, the queen of the alley, whose wholesomeness brings out the good in all her evil associates until the action of the slums where she lives glows like a rose with honesty and good-heartedness. Lyman White has an exceptionally difficult part, but which he performs with such thorough skill that he registers a distinct hit with all who see and hear his characterizations.

The splash of delicious comedy is all there—the strong plot, the fine situations—rapid and startling action—satisfying denouement—everything that is essential to a good melodrama, and none of these qualities are overdone by Miss Irving's excellent company. A large crowd greeted the opener last night, and Manager Ingram is especially pleased with the present bill. "The Slums of New York" will run for the remaining two days of this week, with matinee both this afternoon and tomorrow.

Miss Daisy Dean, well made her own to her friends of Waco in the performance last night. To welcome her there was a large number in the audience who know her work, and were therefore prepared for the pleasure of seeing her in the play. Others who were not so fortunate as to know Miss Dean were even more pleased because of the delightful surprise.

The Majestic will continue to give away a diamond ring each Friday night.

COZY.

"The Blue Mouse."

Last night to a well filled house Besse Dainty gave the most delightful of all when she jumped from the serious play to farce comedy. The play is one that is full of action from the start of one act to the final curtain. Miss Dainty played a beautiful young girl that were a revelation to all. As the Little Blue Mouse Miss Besse is ideal and handles the part as though it were written for her. The scenery too might be mentioned as part of the play as it had much to do with it. Each member of the company deserves special mention for their hard work and showed that they had given the play careful study and detail. Next Monday night, a play without a name will be presented and to the one giving it the best title \$25 will be given. This is really worth while and should create a lot of interest.

After seeing the play all that is required is to send what you think a good title that will fit the play. A committee will occupy a box and watch the play and then the names suggested by different patrons will be put over and the one that really fits the play will be presented to them by the management. This is a contest that everybody can enter and it should attract a lot of attention. The souvenir managers are proving very popular and everyone is anxious to get a set of pictures of this popular company.

"The Blue Mouse" will be played at the matinee today and tonight, and two performances tomorrow. This play has been seen here, was presented at advanced prices and was greeted by a packed house. No doubt it will be well attended the balance of the week.

QUEEN.

Wallace Eddinger in "A Gentleman of Leisure."

Wallace Eddinger, who makes his film debut under the management of Jesse L. Lasky, in the picturization of that famous comedy hit, "A Gentleman of Leisure," is one of the noted Broadway comedians and a man whose advent into the field of photodrama is an advent of genuine importance. He combined an expert knowledge of how to be laughable with a character and personality inseparable from refinement, and he has the ability of doing the most unexpected things in the most natural manner reduced to a science.

Wallace Eddinger in "A Gentleman of Leisure," founded on the comedy of the name of John Stapleton and P. G. Woodhouse, will be the offering today and tomorrow at the Queen. This production had its first presentation in New York at the Strand theatre, and scored there one of the great triumphs of photodrama producing. Eddinger is one of the few "child actors" who has retained his popularity through all the stages of development, ever since the first time he made his first hit as "Cedric" in "Little Lord Fauntleroy." Speaking of recent events, he made a truly unusual hit in the stellar role of "Officer 666" and attained a success of equal proportions with "The Only Son." Some of the other very popular Broadway productions with which he has been associated are: "Soldiers of Fortune," "The Other Girl," "Caught in the Rain," "Classmates" and "The Gentleman of Leisure." The comically funny story of a rich young society man who, in an unguarded moment, makes a wager that he can commit a burglary and escape detection. It can readily be imagined that this proves the basis of a most extraordinary farce.

In addition to Mr. Eddinger the cast of "A Gentleman of Leisure" includes Sydney Deane, Gertrude Keller, Tom Forman, Carol Holloway, Frederick Marston, Billy Elmer, Florence Dagmar, Larry Peyton, Robert Dunbar, Lucien Littlefield, Frederick Vroom, Francis Tyler, Monroe Salisbury and Mr. Machin.

HIPPODROME.

"Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch."

The World Film corporation presents today and tomorrow a five-part photoplay, "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," produced by the California Motion Picture corporation. The story as revealed by the film, combines Mrs. Alice Hegan Rice's two novels, "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch" and "Lovey Mary," which were successfully dramatized by Mrs. Anne Crawford Flexner in 1903 under the former title. The play had a great vogue, passing round the world from the Savoy theatre. Thirty-fourth street New York city (now a motion picture house), and has offered the California Motion Picture corporation the opportunity of utilizing the theme for screen purposes in an extremely capable manner.

An apparently inexhaustible fund of kindheartedness is Mrs. Wiggs' chief and unfailing asset. Hubby deserts her in search of work, becomes a ring master, big game hunter, a circus figure who dies and leaves a child. But in the end Mrs. Wiggs



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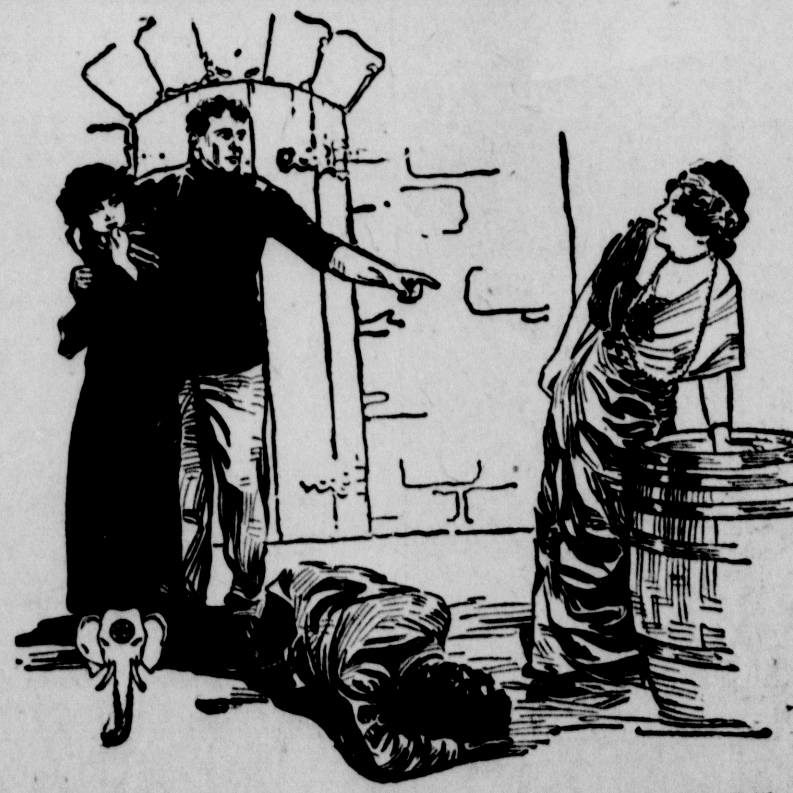
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